## **PROCLAMATION**

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## Covernor of the State of Texas

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Texas Constitution, I, William P. Clements, Jr., Governor of Texas, do hereby veto S.B. 1483 because of the following objections:

This bill would require the City of Houston to authorize assignment pay for bilingual personnel in its fire and police departments. This is a local issue. The legislature should not require local governments like the City of Houston to authorize supplemental compensation for bilingual personnel, particularly in view of the fact that supplemental pay for bomb squad personnel, dive team personnel, helicopter personnel, motorcycle personnel, and special weapons and tactics personnel is discretionary with the city.

The Secretary of State shall take notice of this action and notify the Legislature.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 18th day of June, 1989.



William P. Clements, Jr. Governor of Texas

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